

# SENATE BILL 676

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By: **Senators Brinkley, Colburn, Simonaire, and Stone**

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Assigned to: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **County Boards of Education – Alien Students**

3 FOR the purpose of requiring each county board of education, on or before a certain  
4 date of each school year, to make a good faith effort to provide the governing  
5 body of the county with the total number of students enrolled in the public  
6 school system of the county whose presence in the United States cannot be  
7 reasonably documented; prohibiting a county board from associating a student's  
8 race, appearance, language, or name with citizenship or immigration status;  
9 and generally relating to students enrolled in public school systems.

10 BY adding to

11 Article – Education

12 Section 4–110

13 Annotated Code of Maryland

14 (2008 Replacement Volume and 2010 Supplement)

15 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF  
16 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

17 **Article – Education**

18 **4–110.**

19 **(A) ON OR BEFORE MARCH 1 OF EACH SCHOOL YEAR, EACH COUNTY**  
20 **BOARD SHALL MAKE A GOOD FAITH EFFORT TO PROVIDE THE GOVERNING BODY**  
21 **OF THE COUNTY WITH THE NUMBER OF STUDENTS ENROLLED IN THE PUBLIC**  
22 **SCHOOL SYSTEM OF THE COUNTY IN THAT SCHOOL YEAR WHOSE LAWFUL**  
23 **PRESENCE IN THE UNITED STATES CANNOT BE REASONABLY DOCUMENTED.**

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1           **(B) A COUNTY BOARD MAY NOT ASSOCIATE A STUDENT'S RACE,**  
2 **APPEARANCE, LANGUAGE, OR NAME WITH CITIZENSHIP OR IMMIGRATION**  
3 **STATUS.**

4           SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
5 June 1, 2011.